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TO AMEMBASSY TOKYO

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FOLL REPEAT SUVA SENT ACTION SECSTATE DECEMBER 24, 1973

QUOTE

UNCLAS SUVA 971

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: OCIP ETRN TN US

SUBJECT: PROPOSED VISIT TO US BY KING OF TONGA

REF: SUVA'S A-87 OF DECEMBER 7, 1973

E ED/TT/TT/OA FOR MEADOWS, EA/ANP FOR ANP FOR MOSER

EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED LETTER FROM GONGAN SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT ADVISING THAT KING OF TONGA PLANS VISIT US, CANADA AND EUROPE IN JANUARY 19, 74. WISHES SPEND SEVERAL DAYS IN WASHINGTON FOR PURPOSE OF INITIATING DISCUSSIONS ON CIVIL AVIATION MATTERS AND MEET PERSONNEL CONCERNED WITH BILATERAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR AIR TRAFFIC RIGHTS. KING IS ALSO INTERESTED IN BOEING AIRCRAFT SUITABLE FOR PROPOSED TONGAN NATIONAL AIRLINE (REPAIR) AND HAS ASKED EMBASSY'S HELP IN ARRANGING FOR KING AND PARTY TO MEET WITH APPROPRIATE BOEING OFFICIALS AND TO VISIT BOEING PLANT IN SEATTLE. ALSO WANTS TO MEET WITH OFFICIALS OF PANAM. DATES FOR PROPOSED VISIT DEPEND UPON SEVERAL FACTORS AND NOT RPT NOT YET FINALIZED. IF VISIT TO WASHINGTON IS POSSIBLE EMBASSY HOPES DEPT WILL MAKE EVERY EFFORT TO ASSURE KING MEETS APPROPRIATE

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LEVEL OFFICIALS OF USG AND THAT SOME RED CARPET CAN BE SPREAD

FOR THIS GOOD FRIEND TO US. HALL UNQUOTE KISSINGER

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